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For: THIN FILM DEVICE (As Amended)

A copy of the copending application Serial No. 10/179,006 with claims is attached.

The references cited in the copending application, U.S. Patent Application No. 10/179006, are also attached and enumerated on the SB/08A form attached hereto.

In Serial No. 10/179,006, the Examiner cited JP 8-82612 [copy attached]; the Examiner reasons for applying the same against SN 10/179,006 appear in the Office Action of May 16, 2003 [copy attached and cited].

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